



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: ARTELSMAIR - 5 PCT (RCE-3)  
SERIAL NO.: 10/573,107 EXAMINER: Stephen J. RALIS  
FILED: MARCH 23, 2006 GROUP: 3742  
TITLE: METHOD FOR CONTROLLING AND/OR ADJUSTING A WELDING  
PROCESS

PRELIMINARY RESPONSE IN RCE

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In advance of continued examination and in response to the  
Final Office Action dated January 19, 2011, Applicant  
respectfully requests reconsideration on the basis of the  
following:

**Remarks/Arguments** which begin on page 2 of this paper.